UCR Is Attainable and Affordable
Your dream of a UC degree in biology is just steps away!

Find Your UCR Transfer Counselor
We’re here to help you transition successfully and finish your four-year degree. transfer.ucr.edu

Cross Enrollment (Dual Enrollment):
Start Your UCR Education Before You Transfer
Take UCR classes while still attending Mt. San Antonio College. Pay only $46 per unit (classes subject to availability). go.ucr.edu/enrollment
(Scroll down to the “Cross Registration Programs” tab.)

Earning Potential: CNAS Bachelor’s Degree (Biology)
$41,200 (EARLY CAREER)  $75,100 (MID-CAREER)
Source: PayScale National College Salary Report, 2017–18

You Can Afford UCR
86% of UCR undergraduate students who applied received some form of financial aid.

97% of Financial Aid recipients received gift-aid (grants and/or scholarships).

80% of students’ financial aid need was met with need-based financial aid.

Let us show you how: finaid.ucr.edu

Get a Job at UCR
With 2,600 part-time and work-study jobs on campus, you can work year-round for competitive wages! careers.ucr.edu
Source: Career Center Annual Report 2016–17

Your Future Starts Today with These Career Center Services
Get a jump-start on your career now with these career readiness services from UCR’s on-campus and virtual Career Center:

- Drop-in counseling
- Internships
- Grad school guidance
- Job search strategies

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How to Get into Your Major

Students who complete the following are admitted to UCR:

**Breadth Requirements** – You are strongly encouraged to focus on preparatory coursework (mathematics, science and technical work) for your desired major rather than completing the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC). However, CNAS does accept completion of IGETC as satisfying the majority of breadth requirements.

**Prerequisites** – Use ASSIST.org to view the prerequisites needed for your intended major (and to make sure your classes will transfer).

**Minimum GPA** – Strive to surpass the 2.7 minimum GPA.

**Become a CNAS Science Ambassador**

Become a CNAS Science Ambassador and receive professional development mentoring from Divisional Deans.

**Student Support: CNAS’ STEM Connections Program**

Peer mentoring, transfer transition workshops, faculty/student mixers, field trips and paid undergraduate research opportunities. cnas.ucr.edu/stempathway

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**Transition to UCR with the Transfer Success Zone**

Study, take part in student success seminars and get involved with social mixers at the Transfer Success Zone, located in the Academic Resource Center (ARC). arc.ucr.edu

**Summer Sessions**

Stay on track — or get ahead — to finish your degree in four years! You’ll also enjoy smaller class sizes and more interactions with faculty. Summer financial aid available. summer.ucr.edu

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**What You Can Do with a Bachelor’s Degree in Biology**

Depending on your undergraduate coursework/experience, you could be a(n):

- Game Warden
- Laboratory Technologist
- Naturalist
- Park Ranger
- Preparator/Taxidermist

**Advanced degrees are needed for the following:**

- Range Manager
- Salesperson of Biological Products
- Technical Writer/Editor
- Urban Planner

- Occupational Therapist
- Optometrist
- Osteopath
- Pharmacologist
- Physical Therapist
- Physician
- Pharmacist
- Physician’s Assistant
- Podiatrist
- Population Biologist
- Public Health Educator
- Science Librarian
- Speech Therapist
- Taxonomist
- Veterinarian
- Wildlife Management Biologist
- Zoological Park Curator
- Zoologist

**Student Success: 6 Months After Graduation**

Statistics collected from the class of 2020 in a survey that was given six months after graduation.

- Employed
- Post-Graduate Program
- Seeking Employment
- Not Seeking Employment

Source: Career Center Annual Report 2019-20

**High-Profile Companies Hire CNAS Graduates**

CNAS graduates go on to influence the pharmaceutical and plastics industries, manage space missions, track oil spills in the world’s oceans and more.

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**Take a Tour**

Schedule a student-guided walking tour or take a virtual tour of labs, studios and popular hangouts. visit.ucr.edu

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